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37 CFR 1.312 AMENDMENT AND RESPUNSE

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby responds to the Notice of Allowability mailed 4/09/2007 regarding the above referenced application, and submits the following amended abstract and claims. The required drawings are submitted as well, as are replacement specification sections containing the required changes to the Brief Description of the Drawings, Drawing Reference Numbers, and Detailed Description of the Preferred Embodiments to incorporate the new drawings. Amendment to Claim 1 is made in response to Examiner's Amendment.

Applicant understands the prosecution on the merits is closed and requests, as a matter of grace, a formal examiners amendment under 1302.04 to this applicant's amendment filed under 37 CFR 1.312 and to enter or recommend entry of these amendments.

Applicant further believes these amendments to drawings, specification and claims embody the correction of formal matters. No new matter is added in the specification. Additional fees are not included with this 37 CFR 1.312 amendment under 714.16(c) since no claims are added, total or independent, in excess of those previously paid for. This response is submitted within 3 months of the mailing date of the Notice of Allowability.

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